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Applicants: Robert D. Studdiford  
and Michael B. Dunn

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For: ACCESSORY  
MOUNTING APPARATUS

Art Unit: 3632

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**REISSUE APPLICATION DECLARATION BY THE INVENTORS**

As the below named inventors, we hereby declare that:

Our residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to our names.

We believe we are the original, first inventors of the subject matter which is described and claimed in patent number 5,833,188 (attorney docket 66033-001 (52765)), granted November 10, 1998, and for which a reissue patent is sought on the invention entitled:

**ACCESSORY MOUNTING APPARATUS**

the specification of which (check one)

( ) is attached hereto.

(X) was filed by an authorized person on my behalf on

November 9, 2000 as reissue application number \_\_\_\_\_  
and was amended on \_\_\_\_\_.

(if applicable)

We have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

We acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to the examination of this application in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, §1.56(a).

We verily believe the original patent to be wholly or partly inoperative or invalid, by reason of the patentee claiming more or less than patentee had a right to claim in the patent.

At least one error upon which reissue is based is that the applicant had claimed less than he was entitled to claim.

All errors corrected in this reissue application arose without any deceptive intention on the part of the applicants.

As the named inventors, we hereby appoint the following attorneys and patent agents, with full power of substitution and revocation, to prosecute this application and to transact all business in the United States Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith and request that all correspondence and telephone calls in respect to this application be directed to COUDERT BROTHERS, 4 Embarcadero Center, Suite 3300, San Francisco, CA 94111, Telephone No. (415) 986-1300:

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We hereby declare that all statements made herein of our own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under §1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

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**CONSENT FOR REISSUE APPLICATION BY ASSIGNEE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.172**

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Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.172, this document supplies the written consent of all assignees owning an undivided interest in the patent. According to the Manual of Patent Examining Procedure §1410, the document should be signed by a party authorized to act on behalf of the assignee.

*Twofish Unlimited*, assignee of U.S. Patent 5,833,188, consents to the filing of reissue application for the reissue of U.S. Patent 5,833,188.

*Robert D. Studdiford*  
Robert D. Studdiford, President

Respectfully submitted,

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**PROOF OF OWNERSHIP BY ASSIGNEE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 3.73(b)**

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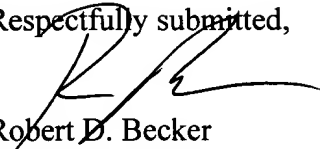
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According to the Manual of Patent Examining Procedure §1410.01, this document establishes proof of ownership by the assignee.

According to the MPEP 324, where papers establishing ownership under 37 C.F.R. 3.73(b) were filed in the prior application, and ownership has not changed, ownership need not be established independently of documents filed with the parent application.

The present reissue application is based on issued patent U.S. 5,833,188 (attorney docket #66033-001 (52765)).

Respectfully submitted,



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